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December 4, 2014

VIA E FILING

Jocelyn D. Boyd, Esquire
Chief Clerk and Administrator
South Carolina Public Service Commission
101 Executive Center Drive
Columbia, SC 29210

RE: Application of Carolina Water Service, Inc. for adjustment of Rates and Charges and Modification of Certain Terms and Conditions for the Provision of Water and Sewer Service Docket No. 2013-275-WS

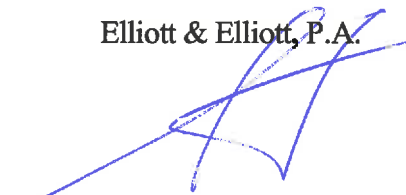
Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed please find for filing the Affidavit of Mailing for the Notice of Filing and Certificate of Service in connection with the above-referenced matter. By copy of this letter I am serving all parties of record.

If you have any questions, or if I may provide you with any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Elliott & Elliott, P.A.



Scott Elliott

SE/lbk

Enclosures

cc: Jeffrey M. Nelson, Esquire (w/encl.)
Laura P. Valtorta, Esquire (w/encl.)


BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2013-275-WS

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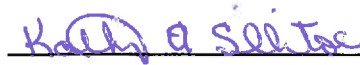
AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

Personally appeared before me, Ann Raponi, who after being duly sworn, deposes and states as follows: I am the Assistant Billing Manager of Utilities, Inc., the parent company to the above-referenced Applicant, I caused to be mailed on the 20th day of November, 2014, via First Class Mail, to all affected customers of the Applicant at the customer addresses maintained in the company's billing records, one copy of the attached Letter and Advisory Ballot in the above-captioned matter.


Ann Raponi

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME

This 24 day of November, 2014


Notary Public for Florida
My Commission Expires: 12/26/16



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November 20, 2014

Dear Customer:

Last year, the Forty Love Point Homeowners Association and Carolina Water Service agreed to jointly explore the feasibility of establishing an interconnection with the City of Columbia's water system for the system serving the Forty Love Point and Indian Fork subdivisions. A report providing information on the feasibility and cost of an interconnection was filed with the Public Service Commission on September 11, 2014 and may be accessed at:

<http://dms.psc.sc.gov/matters/matters.cfc?Method=MatterDetail&MatterID=252491>.

If an interconnection with the City of Columbia's water system is established, Carolina Water Service would provide the two subdivisions with water purchased from the city instead of water drawn from local wells. In addition, Carolina Water Service would be able to provide fire hydrants to the Forty Love Point subdivision, but not for Indian Fork, because its older and smaller distribution lines cannot support fire hydrants.

The interconnection will result in an increase over what you are currently being billed for water. Your bill currently has two components: a monthly base facilities charge (currently \$12.49) and a commodity charge (currently \$4.72 per 1,000 gal.) After interconnection, your bill would have three components: the base facilities charge, a monthly distribution charge (currently \$2.71 per 1,000 gal.), and a commodity charge for the price of purchased water as set by the City of Columbia and passed through on a pro rata basis without mark up. Most customers would see an increase in their monthly bills from 30% to 50%, depending on their consumption, if the change to water distribution is made.

In order to gauge support for a possible transition to water distribution service with a purchased water supply, Carolina Water Service is holding an advisory referendum in the Forty Love Point and Indian Fork neighborhoods. Each customer account may vote in the referendum either by returning the enclosed ballot in the envelope provided, or voting online by visiting <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CWSCustomerSurvey>. Please cast only one vote per customer account on or before December 8, 2014. The results of the referendum will be provided to the Public Service Commission, which would ultimately have to approve a change in service. The change would likely take effect within six months of Commission approval.

Thank you for your consideration of this request, and for your participation in this referendum.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard J. Durham".

Richard J. Durham
President

a Utilities, Inc. company Carolina Water Service, Inc.

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ADVISORY BALLOT

Should Carolina Water Service change from providing well water service to water distribution service?

YES: _____ NO _____

Customer Name: _____ Date: _____

Account No.: _____

Address: _____

Carolina Water Service, Inc.
150 Foster Brothers Dr
West Columbia, SC 29172

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned, an employee of Elliott & Elliott, P.A. does hereby certify that she has served below listed parties with a copy of the pleading(s) indicated below by mailing a copy of same to them in the United States mail, by regular mail, with sufficient postage affixed thereto and return address clearly marked on the date indicated below:

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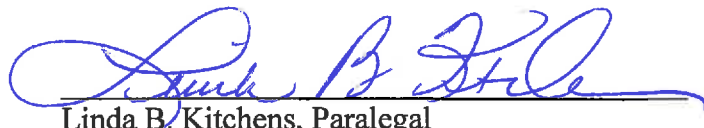
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PLEADING: AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING FOR NOTICE OF FILING

December 4, 2014



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